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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Applicants respond herewith to the Office Action mailed on July 13, 1999.

Please amend the application by amending claim 1 to read as follows and by adding new claims 2-7, as follow thereafter:

1. (amended) A device, for inspecting a cargo container with penetrating radiation, the device comprising:
 - a. a bed that is reversibly moveable along a [first] direction having a